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PATENT

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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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In re Application of )  
ERICH BOHM ) Examiner: (Unknown)  
Serial No.: (not issued) ) Art Unit: (Unknown)  
Filed: (herewith) )  
For: AUDIO PLAYER AND A METHOD )  
FOR CONTROLLING AUDIO DATA )  
BY THE AUDIO PLAYER )

Assistant Commissioner  
for Patents  
Washington, DC 20231

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Dear Sir:

Please enter the following first preliminary amendment  
in the above-referenced application filed herewith.

IN THE SPECIFICATION:

On page line, line 13, please delete the following:  
"Audio data compressed by the microprocessor of the MM card from  
the memory of the MM card is transported directly"  
and replace with

--Compressed audio data is transported by the microprocessor of  
the MM card from the memory of the MM card directly--.

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please cancel claims 3-9 and 12-20.

REMARKS

By way of the above first preliminary amendment, applicant  
has canceled all but independent claims 1 and 10 and dependent